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A Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the international application number and international filing date.


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Respectfully submitted,

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- Oath or Declaration filed on 07/17/2006
- Biochemical Sequence Listing filed on 07/17/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 07/17/2006
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